

Emergency Medical Services for Children Program

Goals:

Ensure the emergency medical service operational capacity to provide pediatric care
Develop standard measures for paramedic continuing education
Invest in EMSC permanence

Program Components:

Technical assistance
Coalition building
Education

Funding

Federal Grant Funds

Target Audience:

Emergency Medical Services system of Arizona, community and family partners

Why is this Program Needed?

To address the pediatric EMS needs of Arizona children

What has the Program Achieved?

Established an advisory council
Yearly updates of pediatric EMS protocols
Yearly pediatric EMS workshop
Pediatric representative incorporated into EMS council
Surveyed acute care hospitals to for pediatric bed preparedness
Implemented pediatric checklist for ambulances

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